Mountain Weather Forecast

North Grampian

Including North and West Cairngorms National Park, Monadhliath, Ben Alder, Creag Meagaidh, Loch Ericht and Loch Rannoch
Forecast valid from 00:00 on Sunday 06 Nov 2022 until 23:59 on Monday 07 Nov 2022

Forecast Issued on Saturday 05 Nov 2022 at 09:48 by Met Office Aberdeen

Confidence: High for Sunday but lower confidence on day to day shower detail next week.

Headline for Sunday 06 Nov 2022: Rather cloudy morning. Scattered showers. Drier, brighter afternoon. Cold, windy on the tops.

Mountain weather hazards on Sunday 06 Nov 2022

Blizzards
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent snow
No Likelihood

Storm force winds
No Likelihood

Gales
Low Likelihood

Severe chill effect
Medium Likelihood

Poor visibility
No Likelihood

Thunderstorms
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent rain
No Likelihood

Strong sunlight
No Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m							
Time							
00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Partly cloudy (night)	Light rain showers (night)	Light rain showers (night)	Light rain showers	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Partly cloudy (night)	Partly cloudy (night)
Precipitation probability							
10%	30%	40%	30%	20%	20%	10%	10%

Forecast for Sunday 06 Nov 2022

Weather: Rather cloudy later in the night and for a time on Sunday morning with scattered showers. It will become drier and brighter by the afternoon with sunny spells and just a few showers remaining.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: 40% improving 70% in afternoon.

Low cloud and visibility: Generally good visibility, briefly poor as showers pass by. Occasional cloud cover about 700 to 800M becoming more patchy by the afternoon.

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Forecast for Sunday 06 Nov 2022

Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)					Wind Direction (blowing from)			
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1300	31/40 S	34/44 S	38/48 S	30/39 S	30/38 S	30/38 S	30/39 S	28/36 S	31/40 S
900	28/33 S	32/39 S	35/42 S	28/35 S	28/35 S	27/33 S	27/34 S	24/31 S	26/34 S
600	17/25 S	20/29 S	21/29 S	18/26 S	16/24 S	15/22 S	15/24 S	14/22 S	14/23 S
300	6/16 S	7/19 S	8/21 S	9/21 S	7/18 S	6/16 S	5/14 S	6/15 S	7/18 S
Glen	4/17 SW	2/13 SW	2/11 S	2/11 S	4/14 S	4/15 S	3/10 S	3/12 S	3/13 S

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)								
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1300	-0/-9	-0/-9	-0/-9	0/-8	0/-8	0/-8	0/-8	0/-7	0/-8
900	4/-2	4/-3	3/-4	3/-3	4/-3	4/-2	4/-2	4/-2	3/-3
600	6/2	6/1	5/1	6/1	6/2	6/3	6/2	6/2	6/2
300	5/3	6/4	6/4	7/5	8/7	8/7	6/4	6/4	6/4
Glen	5/3	6/5	6/5	6/6	10/9	9/8	6/5	6/5	5/4
Freezing Level*	1300m	1400m	1500m	1400m	1300m	1300m	1400m	1400m	1400m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Met Office Aberdeen Meteorologist's View

Feeling bitterly cold over higher ridges and summits due to combination of strong winds and temperatures only a few degrees above freezing.

Forecast for Monday 07 Nov 2022

Weather: Mainly dry, bright start then rather cloudy with showers or some longer spells of rain extending to many ranges during the morning, most extensive over Creag Meagaidh and around Ben Alder. Showers becoming fewer in afternoon, then more frequent, heavier during evening.

Maximum wind: Strong southerly winds, average speeds 30mph gusts 45mph, increasing 40mph by dusk with gusts 55 to 60mph over the tops.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: 40%

Low cloud and visibility: Good visibility away from showers with occasional cloud about 700 to 800m. Reductions to poor visibility as heaver showers come along with more extensive cloud cover, especially in south and west of area.

Temperature: **Glens:** Plus 5 Celsius rising to 13 Celsius.
At 800m: Plus 4 Celsius rising to 7 Celsius.
Freezing level: Above the summits.

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